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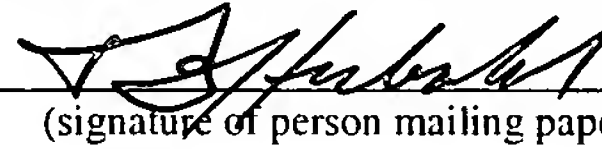
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Enclosed are copies of 2 United States patents, 3 United States patent publications, 4 German patents, 3 EPO patents and 1 WO patent, all with English abstracts or corresponding U.S. patents. Also enclosed is a copy of the Search Report of the German Patent and Trademark Office dated October 19, 2004, and WO dated May 10, 2005.

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